

FISCAL NOTE

TO: Chief Clerk of the Senate
Chief Clerk of the House

FROM: James A. Davenport, Executive Director

DATE: February 20, 1996

SUBJECT: **SB 2773 - HB 2695**

This bill, if enacted, will require a six month suspension of the driver license of any person under 18 years of age convicted of committing traffic offenses in TCA Chapter 8 and Chapter 10. Reinstatement of driving privileges would require a proof of liability insurance, payment of the \$65 reinstatement fee, and passing a drivers test. Statistics from 1994 show that some 17,000 persons under 18 years of age were convicted of such violations.

The fiscal impact of this bill is estimated to increase state expenditures by \$181,270 in recurring cost and \$30,650 in one-time cost for additional personnel and equipment in the Department of Safety. The fiscal impact is also estimated to increase state revenues by \$552,500 in the first year and \$1,105,000 on a recurring basis from reinstatement fees.

This is to duly certify that the information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

A handwritten signature in black ink, reading "James A. Davenport". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large, stylized initial 'J'.

James A. Davenport, Executive Director